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For The Northern Mariana Islands
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

HOU YAN JIN,)	Civil No. 08-0025
)	
Plaintiff)	
)	
v.)	ORDER STRIKING ANSWER
)	TO COMPLAINT and
TAIWAN TRADING CO., LTD.,)	SETTING STATUS/SETTLEMENT
)	CONFERENCE
Defendant)	
_____)	

IT IS ORDERED that defendant's answer of July 1, 2008, be and hereby is stricken from the record. A corporation cannot appear *pro se* in federal court; a corporation must appear through an attorney. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1654; Rowland v. California Men's Colony, 506 U.S. 194, 113 S.Ct. 716, 721 (1993); and, United States v. High Country Broadcasting Company, Inc., 3 Fed.3d 1244, 1245 (9th Cir. 1993); and,

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that plaintiff, plaintiff's attorney, and
2 defendant's general manager or another person with full and complete settlement
3 authority shall appear for a status/settlement conference in Chambers, 2nd Floor
4 Horiguchi Building, on Friday, July 11, 2008, at 8:00 a.m. Failure to appear at the
5 conference may result in sanctions against the non-appearing party.
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8 DATED this 1st day of July, 2008.
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13 ALEX R. MUNSON

14 Judge
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